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RESPONSE FOR ISSUE FEE TO BE APPLIED TO NEW NOTICE OF

ALLOWANCE

Mail Stop Issue Fee

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the decision to grant the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 15, 2003, to revive the above-identified application, Applicants request that the issue fee be applied to the new Notice of Allowance. Should any additional balance be due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account 20-1430 in the required amount.

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A copy of The New Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85(b), together with a copy of the decision granting Applicant's petition is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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